

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: John BORDER et al.	Art Unit: 2157
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Title: PERFORMANCE ENHANCING PROXY AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING PERFORMANCE	

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**  
**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments:

This is in response to the Office Action dated 4/16/2008, in connection with the above-identified patent application.